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## PASTIME FOR EVERYONE by <br> Devotee N. Addict



WHAT THREE LETTER WORD SPELLS "FISH"?
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## HOW TO DO THEM

The front cover of the book shows an easy puzzle completed. Study this one a moment to learn the method of inter-locking the Horizontal and Vertical words. Then tackle puzzle on opposite page and complete it, remembering always the following rules:

The numbers in the squares refer to the numbers of the words in the list of definitions and indicate the square in which word needed for answer begins.

The needed word or answer is to have same meaning as word in definition, the number of letters in answer word being regulated by number of open squares.

Horizontal words begin in open squares at left boundary line and in open squares to right of all black squares.

Vertical words begin in open squares at top boundary line and in open squares below all black squares.

Numbering is consecutive and each number designates beginning of a word. Same number is used for both horizontal and vertical words when they begin in same square, or a number is used for beginning of word in one direction only according to arrangement of the design.

Don't delay too long on a hard spot, read over the definitions and fill in easier words first and thus get key letters placed that will help complete solution.

The "don't look" puzzle opposite will give the idea more quickly than many pages of explanations.

All cross words are interlocked. Single letters don't count. Enough said!

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## DON'T LOOK!

Finish this one from the definitions. Now don't cheat yourself by looking again at answer on front cover until you have it completed. Then check it over.

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DEFINITIONS

HORIZONTAL
1 Tally Clerk
7 Trip
8 Flower
10 Exterior
11 Fur
13 One
14 Radio Signal
15 Correct
16 Town in Nevada
19 Tardy
21 Music

22 Cave
23 Ecclesiastic
25 Indian Ox
28 One (French)
29 Unit of Weight
31 Like
32 Market
35 Town in Florida
38 Indebted
39 Building material
40 Chance

VERTICAL

| 1 Bed | 19 Elizabeth |
| :--- | :--- |
| 2 Noise | 20 Consumed |
| 3 Mistakes | 23 Matter |
| 4 Osculate | 24 Mounted |
| 5 Period | 26 Hairless |
| 6 Bone | 27 America |
| 7 Harmony | 29 Inspect |
| 9 | Aperture |
| 10 Boat Equipment | 30 Part of face |
| 12 Work | 34 Auto (Make) |
| 17 Rest | 36 Conveyance |
| 18 Mineral Rock | 37 Some |

19 Elizabeth
20 Consumed
23 Matter
24 Mounted
26 Hairless
27 America
30 Part of face
33 Bird
36 Conveyance
37 Some

## HORIZONTAL



## HEADS OR TAILS

The eleven letter words at top and bottom will give you a big lift toward solution. If they don't come easily, try elsewhere and work back.

| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |  | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 |  |
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## HORIZONTAL

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| :--- | :--- |
| 1 Long-nosed animal | 27 Beast of Burden |
| 5 Animal_South - | 28 To ponder over |
| American | 29 Woods |
| 9 Roofing | 30 Tree |
| 10 Performed by one | 32 Rest |
| 12 Metal | 35 End |
| 13 Concede | 36 Flow back |
| 15 Strip | 38 Spoken |
| 16 Exclamation (Slang) | 40 Color |
| 17 Struck | 41 Part of a boat |
| 18 Estate (Abbr.) | 42 A river in Africa |
| 20 Cunning | 43 Eagle |
| 22 Develops | 44 Slow Animal |
| 25 Bravery | 45 The Cape Elk |

## VERTICAL

1 To weary
2 A drug plant
3 Close in
4 Apartments
5 Covered with lint
6 Patient animal
7 Burrowing animal
8 An exclamation
9 Carniverous Animal
11 Amphibious Animal
14 Slinking Animal
19 Missile
21 Remain
23 Confusion

24 Turf
25 Tub
26 Alkaline
28 Animal nearly extinct
29a Valuable fur animal
30 An inlet (Scotch)
31 Elevated ground
33 Flower
34 Lofty
36 Merit
37 Tie
39 Lion
41 Ocean

## MADE IN A MENAGERIE

The author of this one must have been an animal trainer as he so frequently crosses the trail with a quadruped of some kind. The big centre cross may delay things a while, but is good help when discovered.


## HORIZONTAL

1 Crippled
5 That which is pointed out
8 Untruths
10 A fraternal order
11 Strike
13 Sour
14 Dog
16 To batter
17 Superior mechanic

20 Distributes
23 Part of a chair
24 Overpowering feeling
28 Has (Quaker style)
29 Globule of liquid
31 Small fish
32 Batrachian
34 Medicine
35 Naked

## VERTICAL

2 An old form of all
3 Wrong (prefix)
4 Snakelike fishes
5 Work
6 To carry coal in
7 Whether
9 Plant juice
10 Congealed water
12 Portion
13 Aspirations
15 Carpenters
18 A blow
19 In addition

21 Reckless
22 Among
24 Step
25 Goddess of mischief
26 Something worthless
27 Midday
28 Possesses
30 City in Southern France
31 Accomplish
33 Doctor of Divinity (Abbr.)

## THE SKELETON

Without sides, cellar or roof, get the centre double cross body, then the arms and legs will follow.


## HORIZONTAL

1 Fastener
5 Hobo
8 Bury
9 Consumed
10 Open
11 House cloth
12 Legal actions
15 Afterward
18 Careless

19 Church
21 Storms
24 Condition
27 Pertaining to sight
28 Steam
29 Performer
30 A bird
31 Corroded
32 Implied

## VERTICAL

1 Defraud
2 Rose Essence
3 Measures
4 Tucked away
5 To fish
6 Representative
7 Father
13 Musical
14 Stale

16 Wait for
17 Raise
20 Lively
21 Nomad
22 Stares
23 Repentant
24 Barely
25 Garret
26 Plume

## FIVE LETTER CROSS-OVER

Unkeyed in many places but every word is inter-locked and there are enough cross overs to pull you through. All are five letter words except the radii.

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## HORIZONTAL

1 A chest
3 Props
6 Feeble
8 Displease
10 Woodsman
12 Molded
17 Firmness
18 Adventures out
19 Business Branch
20 Youthful
21 Performer

## VERTICAL

1 Cruet
2 Ends
4 Happy
5 To make unhappy
7 Mythical
9 Hesitating
11 Acid
13 Chat
14 Lost
15 Pertaining to
cyanogen
16 Supplication

## A HEAD REST

Only twenty-two words. An easy one for those few spare moments while waiting for dinner. What! took longer? - sorry. Too many letters unkeyed. The author got three months
in a soup kitchen with a muzzle on for making this.


## HORIZONTAL

| 1 Purloined | 32 Englishman |
| :---: | :---: |
| 6 Tribe of Indians | 35 Protective devices |
| 11 Abrase | 38 Periods of Time |
| 12 To make an edging | 39 Rowing device |
| 13 Lieutenant (Abbr.) | 41 Jacob's brother |
| 15 Springy | (Biblical) |
| 17 Member of Parlia- | 42 Record |
| ment (Abbr.) | 43 Dim |
| 18 Animal | 45 Slide |
| 20 Spirit of Air | 46 Measurement unit |
| 21 Petition | (Abbr.) |
| 22 An S Curve | 47 Emotion |
| 24 To do wrong | 49 And (Latin) |
| 25 Festive | 50 Animal |
| 26 Substance | 51 Fatty substance |
| 28 Sever | 53 Preparations used in |
| 30 Mark | baking |
| 31 Title (Abbr.) | 54 Bodies of Soldiers |

## VERTICAL

1 Infrequent
2 Preposition
3 Recline
4 Woman's Name
5 Closer
6 Animals
7 To fasten
8 And so forth
9 Substitute for a noun
10 To become visible
14 A mantle
16 A title
17 Animal
19 Taking
21 Sorrow
23 States (French)
25 Goblin

27 Self
29 Hour (German)
32 Tower
33 To dig
34 Sounds
35 Painter
35 To gain possession
37 Retinues
40 An anirnal
43 Trading place
44 Belonging to
47 Dance
48 New (prefix)
50 University degree (Abbr.)
52 Toward

## IN AND OUT

A simple design but a long way around the corners, making a fine set of eight six letter words around all sides.

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## HORIZONTAL

## 1 Suffrage

8 Rowing implement
9 Grain
10 Armadillo
14 Sleep
16 Boundary Stones

17 Advance with speed
19 To analyze a sentence
22 Self
24 Card game
26 Equalizing

## VERTICAL

1 Dandy
2 Egyptian god
3 Skill
4 Sailing Boat
5 Acknowledgment of Debt
6 Part of the American Continent (Abbr.)
7 And so forth
11 Pollywogs

12 Unfolds
13 Bed
15 Indian Tribe
18 One of the months (Abbr.)
19 Poland (Abbr.)
20 Biblical high priest
21 Domestic Animal
23 State (Abbr.)
25 In position

## KINDERGARTEN

But all work and no play makes ......... . So we just include a couple of words that will keep you fishing a while.

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## HORIZONTAL

| 1 Tilt | 30 Kitchen utensil |
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| 5 Rabbit | 31 Trial |
| 8 Despicable | 32 Allow |
| 10 Staff | 34 Bend |
| 12 To travel by wagon | 35 Married woman |
| 14 Foundation | 36 Minute crustacean |
| 16 High School | 38 Prefix meaning three |
| 18 Geometrical Term | (Latin) |
| 20 Cyanogen (chemical | 39 Like |
| Abbr.) | 40 Fury |
| 21 Bone | 42 Prefix meaning again |
| 23 Cook | 43 Dreadful |
| 24 Pet | 44 Booty |
| 25 Inwardly | 46 To eat |
| 27 Humor | 47 A poetic composition |
| 28 Tardy | 49 Desire |
| 29 Scoff | 50 Clean |
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## VERTICAL

2 Forenoon
3 Trap
4 Acid
5 Multitude
6 A beverage
7 Note of the scale
9 Close
10 Breathe
11 Holiday
13 Realize
14 Finest
15 Construe
17 Trespassers
19 Boots
20 One who serves food

22 Bestow happiness
24 Unit of weight
26 Still
28 Depressed
32 Mislay
33 Part of a dog
36 Responsibility
37 Noose
40 Wood
41 Midday
43 Downward
45 Golf Term
46 Accomplish
48 Mother

## THE OUTLAW

Three separate puzzles; the side ones are easy but interesting. Notice the combination going up the right hand stairs.

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## HORIZONTAL

1 Resonantly sounded
4 Spanish coin
7 To confine
8 River
9 In addition
11 Language
12 Thin cake
13 Beverage
15 Therefore
17 Tale
19 Morning
$20^{-}$Before (Prefix)
21 To feed

22 Musical Note
23 Alcoholic beverage
27 And (Latin)
30 Measurement of
Weight
32 Farm
34 Interior
36 Period of Time
37 Superlative (Suffix)
38 Period of Existence
39 Mohammedan prince
40 Therefore (Latin)

## VERTICAL

1 Portugese coin
2 In the year of (Latin)
3 Trifle
4 Energy
5 Secure
6 A number
7 More
10 Musical Instrument
14 Behold!
16 Unfold
17 Coin Japanese

18 Assent
19 Goddess of mischief
22 Infrequent
24 Anesthetic
25 To depart
26 To bring together
28 Weight
29 Asiatic Country
31 Obstacle
33 To be
35 Self

## EASY SAILING

You may need your geography to get two of the unkeyed letters and the alcoholic one will work out complete in the verticals.


## HORIZONTAL

| 1 Alaskan City | 22 Transfers | 39 Account (Abbr.) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 5 Spirit | 24 Card | 41 Preposition |
| 9 Luminary | 25 Jugo-Slavic city | 42 Seed vessel |
| 11 Army peddler | 27 Salutation (nautical) | 43 Behold |
| 13 Partook of food | 29 Hopping Animal | 44 Assistance |
| 14 Wrathful | 30 To make indistinct | 46 A twist of sills |
| 16 Self | 31 to await | 48 Code signal |
| 17 Greek letter | 33 Within | 49 Venom |
| 18 Anger | 35 Title | 51 Insanity |
| 19 Before Noon | 36 Pertaining to an an- | 53 Want |
| 20 An Age | cient Grecian people | 54 Deride |
|  | VERTICAL |  |
| 1 Territorial division | 12 Italian city | 37 To unclose |
| 2 Number | 15 Italian river | 38 Image |
| 3 Doctor (Abbr.) | 21 Saltpeter | 40 Comfortable |
| 4 Biblical priest | 22 Protection from light | 45 Used in game of |
| 5 To prosecute | 23 Ancient Teutonic | chance |
| 6 Part of the Bible | law | 46 Turf |
| (Abbr.) | 24 Artery | 47 Numeral (Abbr.) |
| 7 Diminutive Suffix | 26 Male child | 48 Pouch |
| botanical | 28 Ancient Asiatic race | 50 Compass Direction |
| 8 Bequest | 31 Peg | (Abbr.) |
| 9 Article of apparel | 32 Groove | 52 Negation |
| 10 American lake | 34 Time of day |  |
| 11 In anothers place | 35 Cleansing substance |  |

## WATCH YOUR STEP

One of the novelties in which construction is usually sacrificed in favor of design. But do this one without a dictionary and you will be a "crosswordian."


## HORIZONTAL

1 Index indicators
4 Short
9 Edge
13 Monkey
14 Looter
16 Andy Gump's wife
17 Comrade
18 Of (Suffix)
19 State (Abbr.)
20 Cushion
21 River (Spanish)
23 Push
26 Agitate Air
27 Small column
29 Obtained
30 Side dish

32 Wall 56 Regret
34 Select
36 Concern (Abbr.)
38 Different
40 Useless (Abbr.)
41 Incorporate (Abbr.)
42 Hawaiian Bird
43 Highway (Abbr.)
44 Prohibit
45 And (Latin)
46 Disorganized
50 Jumbled type
51 Aviator
52 Biblical King
54 Spun threads

58 Tale
60 Beverage
61 Property
63 Cunning
64 A reptile
65 Direction
66 Upon
68 Cut off
70 Fluid
71 Legislative Bodies
74 Consumed
75 Eyrie
76 Individual renditions
77 Previously.

## VERTICAL

| 1 Faucet | 26 Destiny | 49 Periods |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 2 Separated | 27 Fraternity | 51 Monstrosities |
| 3 Creed | 28 A lover of Cleopatra 53 Unit of money |  |
| 4 Tuber | (Poss.) | 55 Amend |
| 5 Railroad (Abbr.) | 30 Relations | 57 Common |
| 6 Eskimo Hut | 31 Exalt | 59 Hindoo Farmers |
| 7 That which (suffix) | 33 Selected | 61 Mimics |
| 8 Truth | 35 A fine thread | 62 Members of the body |
| 10 Fix on a stake | 37 Brand of Thread | 64 Large container |
| 11 Sister of Apollo | 39 Rodent | 65 Personal pronoun |
| 12 Finis | 40 Sleep | 67 Canadian Province |
| 14 College Degree | 46 Bone in forearm | (Abbr.) |
| 15 Right (Abbr.) | 47 Sins | 69 To caress |
| 22 Oily (Prefix) | 48 Personal Pronoun | 72 Negation |
| 24 Form of moulding | (obs.) | 73 Preposition |
| 25 To cook |  |  |

## MADE IN A MAD HOUSE

So the author claims, but he has since recovered, and from indications we think he is at it again.

However, in this brainstorm he made one worthwhile.

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## HORIZONTAL

| 1 Stadium | 24Roman Catholic <br> (Init.) |
| :--- | :--- |
| 5 Secretive Organ | 25 Become overdue |
| 9 Glider | 29 Religious Sect. |
| 10 Lion (Latin) | 32 Correct |
| 12 Accomplishes | 33 Horse |
| 14 Fish | 34 Despised Animals |
| 15 A beverage | 35 Pedestals |
| 16 A daily beverage | 37 Former President |
| 17 Location | (Init.) |
| 18 Opposes | Mallucinations (Init.) 39 Printers' Unit of |
| 23 Measurement |  |
| 23 Prefix | Men |

## VERTICAL

1 Apportion
2 Color
3 Edition (Abbr.)
4 Unfortunately
5 Proceeds
6 Era (Init.)
7 Negative
8 Exploit
9 Terrify
11 Elizabeth (Abbr.)
13 Evil Spirit

18 Regrets
19 Tangle
20 Horse
21 Yells
26 To Place
27 Soul (French)
28 Editors (Abbr.)
29 Manuscripts
30 Human Beings
31 Uneven
34 Open Country

## 40 Like

42 Vendors
45 Therefore
46 Golf Term
48 Grain
49 Small Child
50 Injury
52 An Insect
53 Conveyances
54 Warm
55 Reconcile

36 Apertures
38 Diagram
41 Chair
43 Burden
44 Girl's Name
45 Painful
47 Before (Poetic)
49 Color
51 Legislator (British)
53 Business Organization (Abbr.).

## DIRT IN THE GULCH

Pick out an easy starting place and see if you can avoid the trouble lurking around those dark corners. How is your eraser holding out?

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| $5$ | 54 |  |  |  |  |  | 55 |  |  |  |  | 4. |

## HORIZONTAL

| 2 Speck | 15 Luminary |
| :--- | :--- |
| 4 Parent | 19 Seasoning |
| 5 Bone | 22 Neck piece |
| 7 Refusal | 23 Short poem |
| 8 Lamentatious (Abbr.) | 24 Seventh note in the |
| 10 Alkaline compound | diatonic scale |
| 11 A quantity | 25 Doctor |
| 13 Mother | 26 Untruth |
| 14 Within |  |

## VERTICAL

1 Behold
2 Statistics
3 Narrated
4 Seed Container
6 Saint (Portugese)
7 In no respect
9 Manuscript
10 Salt
12 Consume

16 Grade of seaman (Abbr.)
17 Word (French)
18 Container
19 Indeterminate quantity
20 To total
21 An article (French)
27 That is (Abbr.)

## SALVE

Just to satisfy questions regarding novelty designs, we submit this one. Do it on the fly. There would be more to it if the design were square.


## HORIZONTAL

| 1 Possessed | 27 Fence steps |
| :--- | :--- |
| 4 Trick | 29 Manor |
| 7 Fish | 31 Side dish |
| 10 Snake | 33 Pronoun |
| 12 Bird of Prey | 35 South America |
| 14 Musical Note | 36 End-Open (Init. Sta- |
| 15 Defamation | tionery Term) |
| 16 Electrical Engineer | 37 Wandered |
| $\quad$ (Init.) | 39 State (Abbr.) |
| 17 Epistle (Abbr.) | 41 Half Diameters |
| 19 Senior | 43 Character in Shake- |
| 20 A vegetable | speare |
| 22 Small River | 45 And so forth (Abbr.) |
| 24 Container | 46 Rank |
| 25 Island | 47 Whole |
| 25 Veiled Suggestion |  |

## VERTICAL

1 Pork
2 Farewell
3 Doctor of Divinity (Init.)
4 Polar
5 Quality of Sound
6 Pure
7 Creditor (Abbr.)
8 Musical Performance
9 Coloring Matter
11 Suffix
13 Man's name
18 Church dignitary
19 Elders
20 Yours (old form)

21 Boast
22 A kind of scarf
23 Join at 45 degrees
27 Lightning
28 Comes in
30 Young pig
32 Picture Support
34 Pomp
36 Before
37. Note of the scale

38 Accomplish
40 Mioney (Abbr.)
42 National district
44 Parent

## AROUND THE MULBERRY BUSH

Start where you like, you will find this a nice merry-go-round.


## HORIZONTAL

1 Like
3 Seat
7 Part of to be
9 Pronoun
11 External (Adv.)
12 Anger
13 Ribbon
14 Indication
15 Mail Classification
16 Devoured
18 A parent
19 Elongated Fish
20 Founded (Abbr.)
22 Assist

23 Finish
24 To agitate the Air
26 Frozen
28 Parent
29 Pronoun (Biblical)
31 Exclamation
32 To walk in water
33 Walk
35 Verb
36 Alcoholic Beverage
38 An organ of the Body
39 Thoroughfare (Abbr.)
40 Amend
41 Towards

## VERTICAL

1 Donkey
2 Form
4 Brealkfast Food
5 Relative
6 Pronoun
7 Definite Surfaces
8 Humans
10 Promenade
12 Instant
16 To Examine

17 Abrasive
19 Fairy
21 Def. Article
25 Separate
27 Rogue
30 Crown of Light
32 Had been
34 Golf Teacher (Abbr.)
36 Location
37 In

## THREE STRIKES : YOU'RE OUT

Surprising design, does not look like a three and four letter novelty, but outside of ten words it is within the four letter limit.


## HORIZONTAL

1 Fastener
5 Flat
8 A Greek letter
9 Wrong
10 Punctuation mark
11 The national bird
12 Squeeze
15 Indian antelope
18 Short walk

19 Level lands
21 A snake
24 Location
27 To rent
28 Turning Machine
29 Part of a tree
30 Half diameters
31 Defraud
32 Lean

## VERTICAL

1 Handshake
2 Seed used in baking
3 Positions
4 A Tiger
5 Ornamental fabric
6 Parts of shoes
7 Acquire knowledge
13 Proportion
14 Track of a wild animal

16 Use
17 Order of Architecture
20 Smail tables
21 Stomach pains
22 Wash
23 On guard
24. Danger

25 Fruit of the oak
26 A written treatise

## A REPEATER

Another construction of our favorite five letter design, just by way of variety.

| 1 |  | 2 |  | 3 | $5$ |  |  | 5 |  | 6 |  | 7 |
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| 12 | 13 |  | 14 |  |  |  |  | 15 | 16 |  | 17 |  |
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|  |  |  |  |  |  | 20 | $18.5$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| 21 |  | 22 |  | 23 |  |  | \% | 24 |  | 25 |  | 26 |
|  |  |  |  | 27 |  |  | $5$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| 28 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $29$ |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | 30 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 31 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 32 |  |  |  |  |

## HORIZONTAL

| 1 Dwell | 25 Dessert | 42 A plant |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 6 Robber | 26 'from' (prefix) | 43 Snare |
| 11 Before | 27 Writer | 45 March 15th |
| 12 Idle report | 29 Country | 47 Frozen water |
| 14 Anger | 31 Abbr. for 'Telegraph 49 True hearted |  |
| 15 A Tibetan Buddhist | Answer' | (Scotch) |
| $\quad$ priest | 32 Senior (Abbr.) | 51 Ocean |
| 17 Rodent | 33 Refresh | 52 Approach |
| 18 Conveyance | 36 Infinitesimal | 54 Sheep |
| 19 Penetrate | 39 Edition (Abbr.) | 55 Finishing |
| 21 Island | 40 Worker | 56 Shouter |
| 23 Central America | 41 Symbol for Calcium |  |

## VERTICAL

1 Antiques
2 Period
3 Half
4 Doctor
5 A continent
6 A wash
7 Conjunction
8 Baked clay
9 Sooner than
10 Blush
13 Mother

16 'Against'
18 Fence board
20 In arranged form
22 To strew
24 Performed
26 Kind of architecture
28 Cloth
30 Related to (suffix)
33 Change
34 Beverages
35 Flowing back

36 Blood vessel
37 By word of mouth
38 Visitor
42 Part of the body
44 Skins
46 Cave
48 State (Abbr.)
50 Fear
52 Prefix
53 Nominative plural of thou

## THE FENCE IS DOWN

This one is wide open, all good words to carry you through with just a couple or so of Inits. and Abbrs. to add spice.

| 1 | 2 | 3 |  | 4 | 5 |  | 6 | 7 |  | 8 | 9 | 10 |
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| 15 |  |  | 16 |  | 17 |  |  |  | 18 |  |  |  |
|  |  | 19 |  | 20 |  |  | 21 | 22 |  |  |  |  |
| 23 | 24 |  | 25 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 26 |  |
| 27 |  | 28 |  |  |  |  | 29 |  |  | 30 |  |  |
|  | 31 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 32 |  |
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| 39 |  |  | 40 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 41 |  |
| 45 | 46 |  |  |  | 47 | 48 |  |  | 49 |  | 50 |  |
| 51 |  |  |  | 52 |  |  |  | 53 |  | 54 |  |  |
| 55 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 56 |  |  |  |  |  |

## HORIZONTAL

| 1 Girdle | 29 Marred |
| :--- | :--- |
| 5 Conjunction | 30 To bother |
| 7 Blemish | 32 Regal |
| 11 Part of a printing | 34 Bog |
| press | 36 A cover |
| 12 Opposed to | 38 Wearied |
| 13 Misfortunes | 39 Pronoun |
| 14 Clamor | 41 Verbal |
| 16 Smeller | 43 Shelter |
| 17 Fruit of trees | 44 Outbuilding |
| 18 Despatches | 45 Doting |
| 19 Narry | 45 To want |
| 21 Fiithy habitation | 47 Wood |
| 23 Festivals | 48 Pronounce |
| 26 Hurry | 49 Ajar |
|  |  |

## VERTICAL

1 Twirl
2 Decoy
3 Seasoning
4 Heights (Abbr.)
5 Mountains
6 A fop
7 A Japanese coin
8 Bird
9 Proclaim
10 Wicker
15 Obstruct
20 Devil
22 Meat
23 State (Abbr.)
,24 Metal

25 Eavesdirop
26 Pronoun
27 Enclosure for pigs
28 Fish
31 Closer
33 Stuck to
34 Rasps
35 In want
36 Price
37 Window
39 Boat
40 Paradise
42 Untruth
44. Steamship Olympic
(Initials)

## THE PINWHEEL

Looks locked at first glance but you always slide through and interlock. The spinal column and main rib sound threatening.

| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |  | 5 |  | 6 |  | $7$ | 8 | 9 | 10 |
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| 13 |  |  |  |  | 14 | 15 |  |  | 16 |  |  |  |
| 17 |  |  |  | 18 |  |  |  |  |  | 19 |  |  |
|  |  |  | 20 |  | 21 |  |  |  | 22 |  |  |  |
| 23 |  | 24 |  | 25 |  |  |  | 26 |  | 27 |  | 28 |
|  |  | 29 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 30 | 31 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 32 |  |  | 33 |  |
|  |  |  |  |  | 34 |  | 35 |  |  |  |  | 3 |
| 36 |  | 37 |  | 38 |  |  |  | $\square$ | , | 39 |  | 40 |
| 41 |  |  | 42 |  | 43 |  |  |  | 44 |  |  |  |
| 45 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 46 |  |  |  |  |  |
| 47 |  |  |  |  | $48$ |  |  |  | 49 |  |  |  |

## HORIZONTAL

| 1 A spice | 24 Doctor | 40 Wooden pin |
| :--- | ---: | :--- |
| 6 Vegetable | 25 Loosened | 41 Vegetable |
| 11 A Mohammedan ruler28 Tuberculosis (Abbr.) | 42 Responsibilities |  |
| 12 Card | 29 Upwards | 44 Steamship |
| 14 Continent | 30 Rear | 45 Vegetable |
| 15 Dish | 31 Measure (Abbr.) | 47 New England |
| 16 Monkey | 33 Snow Glider | 48 Pronoun |
| 19 Exclamation, non- | 35 Fodder storage | 50 Mistake |
| sense | 36 Plan | 51 Dad (Abbr.) |
| 20 Perform | 37 International Rail- | 52 Vegetable |
| 22 Sisters | road (Abbr.) | 53 Vegetable |
| 23 Entreat | 39 Spanish Gentleman |  |

## VERTICAL

| 1 Nut | 10 Thoughtless | 36 Simple |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 2 Printer's unit of | 13 Vegetable | 38 Resin |
| measurement | 17 Vegetable | 40 Framed area |
| 3 Jumbled type | 18 Finish | 41 Eliminate |
| 4 Dislodge | 20 Painting | 43 Remain |
| 5 Intense | 21 Vegetable | 45 Vigor |
| 6 Torn | 26 Attack | 46 Part of a circle |
| 7 A unit of time | 27 English Boys' School 49 Thou (Latin) |  |
| 8 Part of verb 'to be' | 29 We | 51 Doctor |
| 9 Island in New York | 32 Higher |  |
| (Abbr.) | 34 Flower |  |
|  |  |  |

## COMMON GARDEN VARIETY

The vegetables are all different, however, and so mixed with words from other realms that completed, this one might also be called succotash.


## HORIZONTAL

| 1 A wanderer | 25 Pet |
| :--- | :--- |
| 6 Arctic | 26 Cleanser |
| 10 Bound | 28 Title |
| 12 Horse Hair | 30 An opening |
| 14 Reserve | 31 Caress |
| 17 Pronoun | 32 Normal |
| 19 Enthusiast | 33 Wrong |
| 20 Prefix meaning "with"35 Confronted |  |
| 21 Drunkard | 37 Docile |
| 23 Reference (Abbr.) | 40 Tune |
| 24 East Longitude | 41 River in Italy |
| (Abbr.) |  |
|  | 42 Royal Arcanum |

## VERTICAL

2 Old Testament
3 Deface
4 Copied
5 Discourage
6 Part of door
7 At one time
8 Shelter
9 So
11 Plunges
12 Instrument
13 Osculate
15 Company (Abbr.)

16 Particle
18 Also
20 State (Abbr.)
22 Animal
25 Minute crustacean
27 Friend
29 Anger
30 Clothing
33 Nobleman
34 Endeavor
35 Engine
36 Commonplace

38 Humans
39 Direction
41 Conduits
43 Old womanish
46 Hurried
47 Famous American (Init.)
48 Objective
50 Consumed
51 Pen
52 Point of Compass
54 . Negative

## IN THE LOCK UP

This is an offering that is not interlocked throughout and thereby breaks the standard rules of construction. There are two side puzzles locked up by themselves, but up and down the stairs is interesting.

| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |  |  |  |  | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |

## HORIZONTAL



## TRY THIS ON YOUR PLANO

There are no musical notes and the motif is disconnected
like the reading in a dictionary.


## HORIZONTAL

1 Children
7 Throat organs
13 Mephistopheles
14 Defined extents
16 Higher
18 Memorandum
19 Plague
20 Towards
21 Perceiveत
23 Tidiest
24 Iron (French)
25 Eager

27 Flat fold (obsolete) 49 Always
28 Attic
31 A color
33 Salad
34 Secretly escaped
35 Humans
36 Obscure
37 Pour off
40 Tilted
44 Compels
45 Pleasure placè
46 Innermost part

50 Anger
51 Borders
55 Lengthen
56 Brain disease (Abbr.)
57 Rubber
58 Remained
60 Highway (Abbr.)
61 Defeats
62 Brand of coffee
64 Mocks
65 Hold dear

## VERTICAL

1 Prepared meat
2 Like
3 Kind of vehicle
4 English School
5 Class
6 Slink
7 Strips of cloth
8 Raw metal
9 Eyrie
10 Rested
11 Part of to be
12 Grunted
17 Heathen

20 Torment
22 Expression of an idea 43 Draw out
24 Flick
26 Facial expression
27 Assure
29 Happening
30 Temporary shelters
31 Tree
32 Socially distinct
37 Resolved
38 Plead
39 Attention
41 Affection

47 An alloy
48 Flower
51 Girl's name
52 Skill (Old English)
53 Name of Automobile
54 Place
57 A food (Hawaiian)
59 Neither
61 Railroad (Abbr.)
63 State (Abbr.)

## DADDY LONGLEGS

An absorbing contribution to the realm of crosswordia. The ramparts are up in the centre but the barrier is down at the corners.

Don't skid.



## WHAT IS IT?

No! you lose your-bet; this is legitimate-every word interlocked, though some letters are unkeyed.

But what can you expect from the puzzler who dreamed this design.


## HORIZONTAL



## A LOOSE NUT

Five small puzzles in one; our third and last of the locked up kind. Included for beginners, or we might call it a "Rest for the Weary." The Indian Antelope is elusive, but you can discover him in the dictionary.


## HORIZONTAL

| 1 For self | 23 Year (Abbr.) |
| :--- | :--- |
| 7 Stadium | 24 Doctor of laws |
| 9 Sefore | 26 Hail |
| 12 Inclines | 28 Parent |
| 13 Fight | 29 Before |
| 14 Move Sideways | 31 Printing machine |
| 15 Confined to bed | 33 A unit of weight |
| 17 Beverage | 34 Part of a circle |
| 18 Solidified Tree Gum | 36 Ability |
| 20 Ontario Travelers | 38 Get up |
| Organization (Init.) | 39 Single |
| 21 Brain disease | 40 Related to horses |
| 22 Privileges under | 41 Peevish |
| $\quad$ feudal System | 42 Respect |
|  | (Abbr.) |

## VERTICAL

1 Vend
2 Come in
3 Girls
4 Poetic Metre
5 Brightness
6 Kept
7 Thrust
8 To be carried
10 Pertaining to air
11 God
14 Burdens
16 At rest

19 Answer
25 Fantasy
26 Restrain
27 Fortune
28 Coin
30 Unbleached Cloth
31 Positions
32 City in Mass.
33 Shelter
35 Roofing material
37 Deficit

## THE BATHROOM RUG

Wide and open around the corners; few Abbrs. and Inits. all smooth going with words not far afield.

Except the inevitable couple or so.

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## HORIZONTAL

| 1 Infant | 21 Chewed | 41 Indefinite article |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 5 Monkey | 22 First woman | 42 Small child |
| 7 Containers | 24 Personal pronoun | 44 Short leiters |
| 10 Large coarse grass | 25 Since (Conj.) | 46 Regulate |
| 11 Inflamed | 26 Orderly | 47 Pull |
| 12 To match | 28 Insect | 49 Spring flower |
| 13 Burden | 29 Tear | 51 Assists |
| 14 In place of (Prep.) | 31 Repose | 52 Rendered alone |
| 15 South American Quadruped | 34 Tax <br> 37 There | 53 Unscrupulous men (Slang) |
| 18 Border of mouth | 39 Household pet | 54 She |
| 20 Either | 40 Fodder | 55 Upper parts |
| VERTICAL |  |  |
| 2 Steel Protection | 14 Sly animal | 33 Self |
| 3 Arctic animal | 16 To lease | 36 Insect |
| 4 Still | 17 Males | 38 Present |
| 6 A relation | 19 Fondle | 41 Children's Author |
| 7 Also | 21 In front | 43 Stumble |
| 8 Mountains in Russia | 23 Not late | 45 Sound |
| 9 To darken | 25 Golf term | 45 Storage pit for fodder |
| 10a River mouths | 27 Until (Poctic) | 48 Announcements |
| 11 Drudge | 30 Floor covering <br> 32 Lyrical poems | 50 Decay |

## VERTICAL

34 Definite Article
35 Fertile Place

## AN INNOCENT

Staid and dignified in design and construction. Works well in all speeds and unlocks without a dictionary.


## HORIZONTAL

1 Sources of heat
5 Walking stick
9 Snarls
11 Alms
12 Periods
14 Girl's name
15 Toward
17 Gratuity
19 Preposition
20 Eagle
22 Mother

23 Mountain peak
24 Peruse
26 Hole
27 Tear
28 Peak
29 Human being
30 To love
32 Thoroughfares (Abbr.)
34 A limit
37 A streak of light

38 Legal claims
40 Also
41 Suffix denoting more
42 The verdict of a jury
44 Creditor (Abbr.)
45 To whip
46 To cut off
48 Undeveloped mentally
50 Impales
52 Frozen rain
53 Earnings

## VERTICAL

1 Winter sportsman
2 One (French)
3 To bow
4 Desist
5 Grain
6 State (Abbr.)
7 New England
8 To accompany
10 Part of a flower
11 Portal
13 Sharp sound

14 Selected food
16 Mine product
18 Inflated
19 Boy
21 Dressy
23 Doctrine
25 Deer
27 Rodent
30 Fancies
31 Propeller
32 Vocalize

33 To cut off
35 A Bird of Fable
36 Gloomy
38 King of beasts
39 Obstacle
42 To glide along
43 To develop
45 Away
47 Period
49 Upon
51 For example

## UP AND DOWN ACROSS

The now famous Italian River and Japanese sash are not in this one. In fact, we dodged the obi throughout, but on account of the handy two letter vowel ending word, the Po flows on through
crosswordia.


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